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Train, Car Collide In Snowstorm

Newmarket — Clarence Perrault, Elmhurst Beach, was taken to York County hospital after his car was hit by C.N.R. passenger train Number 3 at the Davis Dr. crossing about 12:30 Sunday morning. The 1935 Pontiac sedan which he was driving was badly wrecked and Perrault suffered from cuts about the face, neck and scalp.

According to police, Perrault was driving east on Davis Dr. through heavy snow and a high wind and did not see the warning from the crossing signals. At the tracks, he saw the bright headlight of the train, but was unable to stop. He tried to outrace the train but was a half-second too late and the locomotive hit the car just back of the rear door. The train was able to stop in its own length.

Conductor of the train was Archibald Elliott, Toronto, and the engineer, Charles Virtue, Toronto. Chief Constable Byron Burbridge attended the scene of the accident with Constable Jack Lawrence, York county police. There were no eyewitnesses to the accident.

Perrault played junior and intermediate hockey for Newmarket in the early thirties.

Nort. Society To Hear Gladioli Expert

Newmarket — L. W. Butt, well known gladioli grower, will be the guest speaker at a meeting sponsored by the Newmarket Horticultural Society in Trinity United church Sunday school room on Friday, April 9, at 8 p.m. Mr. Butt will show technicolor pictures of his trip to the west coast last summer and also of many beautiful gardens. He has an excellent collection of pictures of his own gladioli as well. Refreshments will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to the general public to attend. There will be no charge.

PASSES AWAY

Newmarket — Mr. John G. Sargent passed away in Belleville on Sunday, March 21. Mr. Sargent is the brother of Mrs. Mary French, formerly of Gorham St., Newmarket. Mrs. French left town last summer to make her home in Belleville. Her friends in town extend deepest sympathy.

Suffolk Ewe Bears Quadruplets

Newmarket — There was a rare occurrence at the farm of Alfred C. Marsh, Gorham St., on Easter Sunday morning when one of the Suffolk ewes in his flock bore four lambs with little difficulty. Mother and children are all strong and healthy, and the lambs are running around as lambs should.

The big problem is feeding them, according to Mr. Marsh. Fortunately, another ewe bore a lamb about 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The lamb was taken away from number two ewe who was presented with one of the quadruplets for feeding. After three hours her own lamb was returned and she is now feeding both of them. Mr. Marsh says that not many ewes will stand for it.

In a normal flock, one and a half lambs per ewe is a good average. He said that he has had a ewe bear three lambs before. That is worth noting, but four is rare, he said.

Well Known In Sports, G.E. 'Pat' Vernon Dies

Newmarket — The town this week mourns the loss of one of its best known sportsmen, George Ernest "Pat" Vernon, who passed away at the Sutton hospital on Sunday after a lengthy illness. "Pat" Vernon coached and managed several local hockey teams in years gone by. He coached the midget team to the Metropolitan league championship in 1922-23. Under his guidance, in the hectic days of the Metropolitan league, were such players as Freddie Murray, "Doc" Ames, Harvey Soules, Reg Corbett, "Scrooge" Perrault, Sonny Townsley and the Thoms Brothers, Harry, Chuck and Bill. It was no mean feat in those days to annex the Metropolitan league honors but Pat and his charges beat out the strong Thornhill team in the finals. These players were later to form the nucleus of the junior team that reached the O.H.A. finals.

"Pat" Vernon continued to take a keen interest in the kids' hockey welfare until he left Newmarket to take a position on the Welland Ship Canal, then in the process of being completed. After spending seven years at Welland he returned to Newmarket and went to work at Davis Leather Company. He coached and managed the Davis Leather Company Mercantile team which annexed three Mercantile League championships. "Pat" Vernon always had a keen interest in sports and until his illness some five years ago was always ready to lend a helping hand to assist the hockey clubs along.

Aged 64 at the time of his death, he was born on a farm on the northern outskirts of Newmarket, a son of George Clinton Vernon and Sarah Jane Davis. He was a member of the Medical Corps in World War I. He had been ill approximately five years. He is survived by his wife Alice, and two daughters, Dorothy and Gayle. Services were held Tuesday afternoon in Roadhouse and Rose Chapel with interment in Newmarket cemetery. Rev. Henry Cotton and Rev. M. E. R. Boudreau conducted the services.

Send \$233 To Crippled Children

Newmarket — A cheque for \$233.31 has been forwarded to the Ontario Society for Crippled Children by the Girl Guides of Newmarket. This money was raised through the sale in March of 666 dozen donuts and will aid the society in continuing its important work among the crippled children of Ontario.

The Girl Guides greatly appreciated the wholehearted support they received from the citizens of Newmarket in making this "good deed" such a success.

Easter Band Concert Warmly Received

Newmarket — The band concert in the town hall Easter Sunday evening by the Newmarket Citizens' band was outstanding, every item being played with perfect ease and ability under the leadership of Wm. C. Greig, conductor. It was an interesting and varied program of music with Isha Goodman, pianist, as guest artist. Mr. Goodman could not satisfy the audience who would still be there listening if he had kept answering repeated encores.

The program of band music included an Overture, The British Rose with C. Lavallee, cornet soloist, and Gaiety Polka with Ronnie West as cornet soloist, the youngest member of the band. He still has to see his tenth birthday. Rev. J. T. Rhodes was chairman for the evening and in thanking the performers voiced the hearty approval of the audience. It was a particularly enjoyable evening.

The proceeds, given to the Veterans' Association for their memorial to be erected in Newmarket cemetery, were handed to Reeve Arthur D. Evans who thanked the band warmly for their generosity in a few well-chosen words.

Fire Destroys Gilmour Lodge

The Aurora fire brigade has had a busy week. Last Thursday night they were called to the farm of Maj. Harrison Gilmour, second concession, Whitelock, where a blaze had broken out in the main lodge close to midnight. The high wind, muddy roads and the headway gained by the flames prevented the brigade saving the log building. While the cause is not determined exactly, it is believed to have started from the oil furnace. The lodge was unoccupied, the Gilmour family being in residence in Toronto and spending weekends and the summer there. Many valuable trophies and works of art were lost. The loss is estimated at over \$15,000.

On Good Friday, the brigade answered three grass fire calls in King township, but no losses were reported by Fire Chief Jones.

Monday the brigade answered a call to extinguish a chimney fire at Pine Orchard. The loss is reported as small.

Percy Allin Active In Church

Aurora — The death occurred on Sunday at York County hospital, after a brief illness, of Percy Allin of Mosley St., one of Aurora's most respected residents. A native of Whitelock township, he had retired from his farm to Aurora ten years ago. Last year, he completed his new residence.

He was a member of Aurora United church, and before that, he had been an official of Wesley United church at Vandorf. He is survived by his widow, the former Clara Ann Atkinson, two children, Fred and Mrs. Herbert Oliver (Hazel) of Whitelock township, and a sister, Mrs. Alfred Andrews of Aurora. Funeral service was from Aurora United church on Wednesday with Rev. Roy Hicks, Rev. E. C. Middle, Rev. Garnet Lynd, Downsview, taking the service. Interment was at Aurora cemetery.

Former Minister Here Has 25th Anniversary

The Congregational church at Osgoode, Mich., honored its pastor, Rev. Percy L. Graham, on the celebration of his silver anniversary as an ordained minister at a special service on Sunday, March 7. A reception was held later in the parlors of the church for Rev. and Mrs. Graham where a silver vegetable dish and 25 silver dollars were presented on behalf of the congregation. Many plants, flowers and other gifts were received to make the occasion a happy affair.

Rev. Graham was at one time pastor at Newmarket Christian Congregational church and Mrs. Graham was the former Frances Denne of Newmarket.

There are about 30 O.R.T.'s in

Nature Plays Hob With Town Streets

Newmarket — Nature plays havoc with Newmarket streets every year but this spring is an exceptionally bad one. Frank Bowser, chairman of the council's roads and bridges committee, said that a repair program would be worked out when the frost has gone. Meanwhile the general condition of streets is bad but there is not much that can be done until the frost has left the ground.

The Era and Express did a tour of all the roads with Town Engineer Denne Bosworth on Tuesday and found that Newmarket is faced with a big problem. The worst roads are the unpaved ones and the worst spots are where sewers have been laid recently. One of these is on Crescent Rd. opposite the Sangamo Electric Co. where a sewer was put in last fall and another on Charlotte St. behind the Alexander Muir school where sewers have been put in for three new houses.

Three streets, Main, Gorham and Davis Dr., are largely the responsibility of the county. Main St., the centre 18 feet of which is in the care of the county.

'C' Squad. Of Yanks Seeking Recruits

Aurora — The 25th Armored Regiment, Queen's York Rangers, are on the look out for new recruits, and "Your County Unit," represented by "C" Squadron at Aurora, urges ex-service men and those too young for the Second World War to join the unit now. Forty-five days with active service pay are now available for reserve army personnel and training in wireless, mechanical and electrical work is being given.

Major James Westhead, M.B.E., the squadron commanding officer, points out that with present world conditions there is a real need for active participation by the young men of today. "None of us want to see war again, or to have to serve our country as we did a few years ago," said Maj. Westhead, "but we might as well realize that there is a real job to be done by way of preparedness and the benefits of knowing what has to be done is the best assurance of peace."

Serving as officers with the North York Squadron are Capt. Archie McGinnis of Maple, Lieuts. Fred Rows and Ted Johnson, Aurora, Al Meads, King, and Bill Williams, Newmarket. Jack Orr, Lansing, is S.S.M. Howard Bunn, Aurora, S.Q.M.S., and sergeants are Henry Starkey, Bill White, Syd Lusick and Dave Judd of Aurora and Bill Sherwood of Lansing.

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the area, has several holes and soft spots. A few days ago road men filled them in with gravel but the lack of a place to live. He had given up a good job in Toronto because he and his wife had no place to live and they have been living in one room, a parlor, since he came to Newmarket.

This veteran would like to find two or three housekeeping rooms until he and his family can move into a prospective house which has not yet been completed. Anyone with suitable accommodation to rent, who can help this veteran and his family, can get in touch with Doug May, president of the Newmarket Veterans' Association, at phone number 884w.

The state of the rest of the paved streets is good but the south end of Lorne Ave. opposite the Stuart Scott school is full of holes and between Eagle and Andrew it is soft and muddy. North end of Niagara has dried up but is rough. Srigley St. is very rough but dry. Attempts to fill in the hard bumps are almost useless as the fill is soon thrown out by passing cars.

Frost boils are the worst hazards and cause the most trouble, such as the large upheaval at the corner of Main and Millard Sts.

Veteran, Wife and Infant Live In One Room

Newmarket — There is a veteran in town whose joy in his infant daughter, born in March, is more than tempered by the lack of a place to live. He had given up a good job in Toronto because he and his wife had no place to live and they have been living in one room, a parlor, since he came to Newmarket.

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Butter Shortage Still With Us

Newmarket — The butter shortage still exists and from the information gathered from the dairies and stores in Newmarket there is no sign of an increase in supply.

The shortage is a seasonal one. Last year some butter was imported during an early spring shortage. Until the cows get into the fields, housewives will have to use butter sparingly.

Scout Mothers Plan Tea, Bake Sale

Newmarket — An executive meeting of the Scout Mothers' Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Bert Budd on Monday afternoon. Three representatives immediately by N.D.H.Q.

Recreation and social activities as well as the more serious duties are active functions of this new armored unit and recruits will be welcomed and assured of every chance for advancement.

Mrs. John Morning Buried In Newmarket

May Elizabeth Bell, wife of John Morning, Snowball, passed away suddenly at York County hospital early Friday morning, March 26. She was born on the 4th con. of King twp., the daughter of the late William and Susan Bell. She is survived by her husband, three sons, William, Reginald, Oscar, and three daughters, Laura, Dora and Edna, an only brother, William J. Bell, Fort William, nine grandchildren, two of whom lived with their grandmother (Brenda and Barbara).

The funeral service was held from the residence at Snowball. Pallbearers were three sons, William, Reginald, Oscar, two nephews, Alex and Fred Morning, and Allan Connor. Services were conducted by Rev. C. E. Cragg, Kettleby. Interment was in Newmarket cemetery.

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Coming Events

Thursday, April 1 — At 8 p.m. Euchre at the Legion Club Rooms under the auspices of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion. Lunch served. Admission 25 cents. ctw10

Friday, April 2 — Spring tea and bake sale under the auspices of St. Paul's Parochial Guild from 3 to 5 p.m. ctw10

Friday, April 2 — Easter holiday dance in Belhaven hall sponsored by Island Grove L.O.B.A. Charlie Van Zant's orchestra. Admission 25c. Reserve seats 35c. General admission 25c. Reserve seat tickets on sale at Lane's Drug store. csw7

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Tuesday, April 6 — Dance in Sharrow hall, under the auspices of Sharon junior farmers. Harvey Miller's orchestra. Novelties. Admission 35c. ctw10

Wednesday, April 7 — Euchre in Keswick school. Proceeds in aid of Hockey club. ctw10

Tuesday, April 13 — Old time and modern dancing in the Sharpen Hall. Proceeds for the Holland Landing community hall. Harvey Miller's orchestra. Admission 50c. lunch served. ctw10

Friday, April 16 — Old time dancing to Chas. VanZant's orchestra at Bluebird Inn, under the auspices of the Armitage Community Club. Proceeds for the children fund. ctw10

Thursday, May 6 — The Junior Ladies' Aid of the Christian church is holding a Blossom tea and sale of home-made baking and fancy work from 3 to 6 p.m. ctw10

Dancing at Blue Bird Inn, air conditioned hall at Armitage every Wednesday old time dancing to Charlie VanZant's orchestra, and Saturday modern dancing to Bill Smith's orchestra of Toronto. ttw10

Dancing every Saturday evening at Club 14, Millard Ave., Newmarket to Max Bong and his orchestra. ttw10

Dancing every Saturday night at Schomberg to Norm Burling and his King's Men. Commencing at 9 p.m. sharp. ttw10

All Hydro Restrictions Said Cancelled

Newmarket — All hydro restrictions have been lifted, according to Fred Thompson, chairman of the Newmarket hydro commission. The last cancellation of restrictions came yesterday when the ban made November 10, 1947, on window lighting and advertising and electric advertising signs was lifted.

Over a week ago, the 15 percent power restriction for Newmarket was lifted, but the announcement by the Ontario Hydro Commission at that time stated that they were subject to further restrictions in the event of a shortage again.

RADIO LICENSES DUE

All radio licenses expired March 31, 1948. Geo. Wales will cover St. George's ward, Wm. LaPonde St. Andrew's ward, and W. Curtis St. Patrick's ward.

Workers C.C.L., in particular Local 27 (Collis Leather Company Limited) and Local 34 (T. Sisman Shoe Company Limited), wish to again iterate their position in regards to the question of labor-management relations and public relations.

"Amongst the various trade unions that make up the C.C.L., the National Union of Shoe and Leather Workers had had a record of being consistently anti-communist since its origin. We are also equally against company domination of unions. Our stand has been, that only a democratic, independent union can successfully negotiate with management and protect the interests of its rank and file members.

"Communism cannot be eliminated by attacks on its leaders.

It has been banned by the authorities but continues to flourish on discontent, injustice and ignorance. Our policy of developing good will and co-operation between the workers themselves and between workers and management is sound and is bringing good results.

"We endeavor to educate our members to a realization of what a vile thing communism really is and to protect their interests by negotiating with management in a fair, sincere and honorable manner. We believe that by working together with management we can accomplish more for the common good. There is no place for communism in such a program."

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Housing Project Said Cancelled

Stop press: A letter received by Newmarket from the Central Mortgage and Housing Corp., the crown company building low-rental houses, late this morning said that the Newmarket project was cancelled. Newmarket is included in federal cancellation order for housing in Ontario and "we are of necessity forced to discontinue our negotiations with you insofar as this (Newmarket) proposed project is concerned," the letter said.

Newmarket — All indications are that the low-rental housing project for Newmarket will be dropped along with other crown housing whose cancellation was announced by Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe. The federal action followed Ontario legislation making the province the final arbiter on housing agreements between municipalities and the crown.

The Newmarket project would have provided 50 low-rental houses for veterans with construction beginning in a matter of weeks.



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Miss Mary McDonald, Holstein, is holidaying at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Day and son, Renwick, spent Sunday with Mr. W. A. McDonald and family.

Miss Nellie Doyle, Listowel, accompanied Miss Ruth Oliver home for the weekend.

Miss Margaret Ewen, Holt, spent part of the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Irwin and children and Miss Margaret Ewen visited Mr. Irwin's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Welly Stevens, on Sunday.

Miss Doris Mackie, Toronto, spent the long weekend with her grandfather, Mr. Wilfred Fountain.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Robertson, Margaret and Billy and Miss Erna Hall, Fort Erie, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall.

The Misses Evelyn and Violet McDonald, Toronto, and Mr. Joe McDonald, Orillia, spent the weekend with their uncle, Mr. C. H. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Welly Stevens attended the ladies' night banquet of Ontario Association of Accident and Health Underwriters at the Prince George Hotel, Toronto, on Monday evening.

Sunday guests at the home of Fred Hall were Mr. Albert Pope and Mr. Donald Wood, Whitby, Miss Marjory Hall, Mr. Donald Johnston and Mr. Carl Phillips, Newmarket, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hall and Linda.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brisson and Anna, Merriton, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ramsay.

Mrs. Vanstone and David spent a few days with relatives at Port Credit. Miss Mary Vanstone, Toronto, spent the weekend at home.

Mrs. Wreggit, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moss visited Mr. and Mrs. F. Ostley on Friday, it being Mr. Ostley's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Farr visited Mrs. Farr's mother, Mrs. McCarten, in Toronto on Sunday.

Mrs. Merton Shaw, Hamilton, visited the Shaw family during the holiday. Miss Nora Shaw returning to Hamilton with her for a few days.

Miss Laura Thompson, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fife on Sunday. Mr. Ted Fife spent the weekend at home.

Miss Erna Lunney, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lunney.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Lunney, Keswick, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lunney on Sunday night.

The Sharon W.I. will hold their April meeting in the hall April 7 at 2:30 p.m. Roll-call will be to name a wild flower. Mrs. N. Crone will give current events. Election of officers will be held. Refreshment committee: Mrs. E. Farr, Mrs. J. Hall and Mrs. W. H. Wilmet.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Haines gave a family dinner Easter Sunday entertaining the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stickwood and baby of Newmarket, Miss Lorraine McCullock, Vancouver, B.C., Mr. W. D. McClurg, Toronto, Miss Ruth Stickwood, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. E. Stickwood, Queenville, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Glover and family of Sutton West.

VANDORF

Miss Winnifred Morton and Miss Connie Morton, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morton, Windsor, called on Mr. and Mrs. Robt. J. Carr on Good Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Scott and sons spent Sunday visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Anne Peters and Mr. Walter Wicks, Toronto, spent Good Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Komar. Mr. Komar returned home from York County hospital on Thursday.

Mr. Percy Allin has been critically ill with pneumonia in York County hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Komar entertained Mrs. Chas. Bostwick and Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson at dinner on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Eade entertained several friends on Thursday night on the occasion of their wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Foote and baby daughter, Sheila, Pine Orchard, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, White Rose, visited Mrs. Alf Pattenden and family on Sunday and attended Wesley church.

Wesley W.A. will hold their April meeting at the home of Mrs. James Oliver. Topic is Easter (third line south), Mrs. Loucks; Roll-call, an Easter thought. Hostesses, Mrs. W. Kingdon and Mrs. R. Scott.

The Women's Institute is sponsoring a one-day lecture course on community health to be given by Miss Grace Hamilton, department of home economics and health, on Wednesday, April 14, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Vandorf hall. Members of the Gormley, Bogartown and Pine Orchard Women's Institutes are invited to attend. Each person is to bring a box lunch and tea will be supplied. All ladies of the community are invited to attend.

The April meeting of the Vandorf Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Arthur van Nostrand on Thursday afternoon, April 22. Note change in date. Roll-call, "Exchange of slips and bulbs". Report of all convenors; agriculture, Mrs. Fred van Nostrand

ter, Beryl, Mr. and Mrs. M. Mashinter, Malton, spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. Ed. O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker and family, Toronto, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Swan, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Barrett, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes.

There was a large attendance at the church hall on Good Friday evening to see a very interesting picture put on by the National Film Board.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellerby, Weston, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. Blackburn.

HOLLAND LANDING

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hill and Ruth and Bert Kearns spent the weekend at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Kearns and William Kearns spent the weekend at their brother's home, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kearns.

Miss Mae Kearns and friends are motoring to New York for the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Sam White, Linda and Nancy, are spending a few days in Toronto.

POTTAGEVILLE

There was a good attendance in the United church for the Easter Sunday service. Rev. C. E. Cragg took for his text, "We have seen the Lord."

The choir under the leadership of Miss Beatrice Proctor sang two anthems, "The Old Rugged Cross," and "Low in the Grave He Lay."

We are glad to announce the birth of a baby daughter to Mr. and Mrs. A. Elder. The child was born on her mother's birthday, Sunday, March 14. Both are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred West and son Wayne, Brownhill, Mr. and Mrs. Ken. West, Hamilton, and Miss Kay West, Toronto, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. West.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. Rhodes have returned home after spending the winter in Vancouver.

Mrs. Tom Blackburn has returned home after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Ellerby Weston.

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Is Toronto Necessary?

Is Toronto really necessary? That's the question of the Midland Free Press Herald and its answer, given in an editorial last week, is a plain and unvarnished "no". One-third of Ontario's population is crowded into Toronto and, claims the Midland paper, the rest of the province is paying the price of such crowding.

The gist of the Free Press Herald's argument is that Toronto's growth has been economically and socially unsound, that its growth has created problems which in turn have created rising costs in the goods and services the city provides. That extra cost is passed on to the consumers, the other two-thirds of the province's population.

Says the Free Press Herald: "To attract labor to its stores, industries and offices today, Torontonians practice the five-day week, the seven-hour day, the 20-minute rest period morning and afternoon and \$5 more per week. No, it doesn't help the employees. A seven-hour day is still nine hours away from home because of the length of time it takes to get to and from work in our capital city. The five-day week is essential for many because they have no place to house their families in the metropolis and go home to visit mother and children on the long weekends. And for the 20-minute rest period, twice a day, we wonder if even that is sufficient to compensate for the nerve-wracking experience of being jostled, pushed and bumped about by the multitudes which jam-pack streetcars, buses, restaurants, in fact all the city's facilities. As for the extra \$5 per week, Torontonians earn it and they spend it. It actually costs that much more to live in the Queen City than it does in many other urban and rural centres throughout Ontario. And this takes no account of the expense of frayed nerves, inadequate food, insufficient recreation and a host of other ills that plague the city hive-dweller."

The prices of the goods and services we buy reflect this unsound concentration of population and industries. The resultant higher wages, the lower man-day production, the larger health and recreation bill, the cost of street widening and subways, slum clearance, are all paid for in no small measure by the farmer, the villager and the townsman."

Toronto, says the Free Press Herald, is suffering from an economic, social and educational concentration of the arteries and it is about time a doctor was called in.

At Least Get The Facts

Our two sports columnists, George Haskett and Ah Hulse, reached the same conclusions in their columns two weeks ago. What Newmarket needed, they said, was an artificial ice plant. Their arguments were similar. Year after year sees local hockey finals either delayed or postponed by the lack of ice, or played in Toronto or Barrie with a resulting loss of revenue to teams and to their hometown.

These out-of-town games are as definite as flowers in May if Newmarket has a team that gets beyond its group and into the semi-finals for the provincial title. Just as heavy a cost must be charged up in pre-season practices, in time lost for icing, sudden thaws, crowded practice hours and limited ice for the schools. On the balance side is the very obvious fact that if Newmarket had artificial ice, it would draw teams from all over the county and beyond because artificial ice here would be the only artificial ice between crowded Toronto and crowded Barrie.

The need for artificial ice has been a hot stove topic for years but to the best of our knowledge, no effort has been put forth to determine whether or not it was financially possible. And until that effort is made, the artificial ice debate will continue to be an annual event. At the very least, the advice of engineers with estimates in cost and revenue could be had, and a decision made on the facts.

The town council has shown no interest. Perhaps the chamber of commerce could make a survey of the artificial ice possibilities here part of its 1948 program.

Bouquets And Brickbats

We received a very encouraging letter from a subscriber the other day in which she said: "Your reporting of the news has been, as a rule, very excellent; on the whole, the paper is very well set up and quite readable." Then after these very welcome bouquets, came the brickbat: "Is that any reason why your windows should always be so dirty?"

Well, there is nothing else to do but admit the charge and plead for mercy on the grounds that the windows have since been thoroughly cleaned and will remain so on receipt of suspended sentence. As a matter of fact, the extensive alterations inside the building have so occupied our time and effort that we have let outside appearances go. We promise not to do it again and to always present a shining face to the public.

Something New In Fire Engines

Lack of water is a major handicap to effective rural fire protection. Wells are likely to be inconvenient or dry. Pressure is often too low for practical use. Getting water from nearby streams takes precious time and involves difficulties in laying hose. There is always the risk that the pump will clog, particularly if the water level is low.

The Newmarket fire brigade has overcome this handicap to a limited degree by its purchase of a new engine which carries with it a large water reservoir. Water can be thrown immediately from the engine while other water sources are being connected. However, the water capacity is limited to 250 gallons. A fire chief in New Hampshire went a step further and with the ingenious use of old tank trucks, created fire engines with water reservoirs of 300 or more gallons. His story may provide the answer for the fire protection needs of small rural centres where the water supply is a doubtful quality.

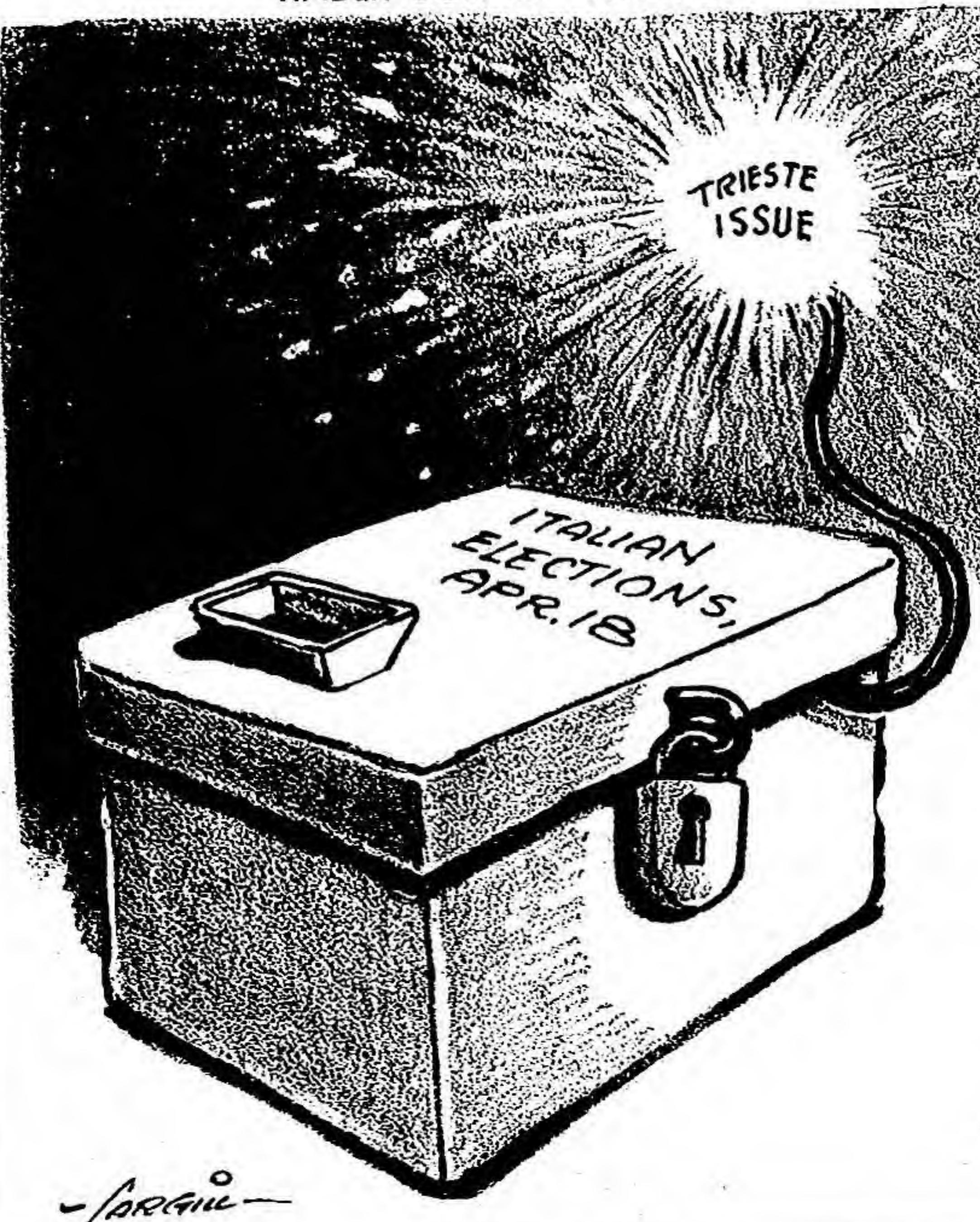
Mr. John E. Holden is a large fuel oil distributor in Newington, New Hampshire. He is also the fire chief at that centre. Worried about the uncertainty of water supplies for out-of-town fires, Mr. Holden stripped two old tank trucks of their useless gear, mounted heavy duty pumps on them, placed ladders on top and called them fire engines.

When he had added fog nozzles and a wetting agent to the water, he had made it as effective as four times the amount of hydrant water in a steady stream.

The Reader's Digest, which tells the story of Holden's fire equipment, cites many instances where the tankers were effective when standard equipment would have failed. Most dramatic was their use in the fires which swept New England last fall. The tank trucks were used as roving fire engines, able to go into action where needed independent of the usual hydrants, wells and streams.

More than 25 New England communities have adopted Holden's idea. At least a dozen more have placed orders for similar equipment. One of the largest manufacturers of fire engines has put Holden's type of rig on the assembly line. Not only is delivery said to be quicker but the cost of Holden's engine is much cheaper than that of the standard type.

"TINDER BOX OF EUROPE"



Cat Nips

BY GINGER

"A cat may look at a king," said Alice. "I've read that in some book but I don't remember where."—Lewis Carroll.

Henrietta is no slouch.

But she is not much more than, at the moment.

Henrietta, I think, is toying with the idea of acting out an un-Canadian activity. Not that she is a saboteur or unpatriotic, but she has been seen out with a Tibetan Mongoose (species of south Soviet tabby) and people would naturally take that as being un-Canadian.

That's the trouble with working on a newspaper. I get a darn good story like that which carries lots of humor, local atmosphere and people which people want to hear about and it goes into the ash can with Junior's articles!

Sometimes I think that I am wasting my time around here.

Capistrano Swallows Return On Schedule

By GOLDEN GLOW

It is March 20 as I write and on an early broadcast I heard that the swallows of Capistrano had returned, true to tradition, yesterday morning. For 168 years they never failed to appear at Capistrano mission on March 19, St. Joseph's Day, till 1947 when they arrived three days ahead of time. They broke their record last year, but here again once more on March 19 they appear as usual. It might just have been some of the advance guard who arrived early last year—at any rate here they are back to San Juan Capistrano mission on the Pacific coast about half way between Los Angeles and San Diego, exactly on March 19 and if they line up to tradition they will leave on October 23 on St. John's Day (San Juan).

Twice a year the radio and the press record their coming and their going, giving bird lovers and ornithologists one of the greatest mysteries of nature they ever tried to solve. Do they or do they not winter in Jerusalem? And if they do are the people over there as curious about them as we are? Yes, we all love to hear about the swallows of Capistrano!

I am worried about Henrietta.

Hey, boss.

I once heard you say something about we should have news that carries the public interest?

Why did you "can" that story?

I wrote about a certain prominent businessman who slipped on

the hand of your daughter."

Father: "Which one, Jane or Helen?"

Suitors: "Jane, sir."

Father: "Do you make enough to support two?"

Suitors: "No, sir. One will be enough."

Stutter: "I have come to ask for

the hand of your daughter."

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THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



On Second Thought

By The Editor

A SHATTERED HOPE

(Some Reflections on Listening to the Chatter of Newlyweds)
Parents-to-be anticipate Among joys of raising heirs Of all the kids throughout the world None will compare with theirs. Parents-to-be will quickly find Despite this hope of fame Though different in shape and texture Their yell's are just the same.

After the unprecedented success of its trial run, as recorded in this column some weeks ago, we have again borrowed the thought recording machine and this time, offer a transcript of thoughts of an ill-fated traveller of Newmarket's Main St. We tuned in on him as he rounded the curve onto Main St. at the south end.

"So this is Newmarket, hmnn. Nice place. Main St. looks a little narrow although it's wide enough here. I'll go slowly. Whoops. What was that? Felt like the transmission had fallen off. Better stop the car. I'll take a look. Nope. Everything seems to be here. Oh, I see. It was that hole back there. Looks pretty deep. I'll take a look. Boy, this is a regular canyon." At this point, the traveller leaned over the edge and shouted "Hello". The echo came back in 20 seconds.

Back in the car: "They ought to rope that hole off. Oh well, it is spring. It always happens in the best of roads in the spring. I'd better go slowly though. Say, the stores look pretty good. Reminds me that I have some shopping to do. Ah, there's a place. I'll just turn in there. Well, didya see that. That guy turned right in front of me. Thief. Robber. Oh well, maybe there's parking space. There's probably a sign further up the street.

"Street's getting narrow. Got to watch it. This is a new car. Wife won't keep quiet if I get a scratch on it after what I said to her when she backed into the garage door. Whoosh. Well look at that. He drives like his fenders were rubber. Slid right by with an inch of clearance. Careful now. Here's another hole. Maybe they mine coal on Main St. Gently now. Well over to the side. Careful. Ah, that's it. Safely by that one.

"Well it looks like we're out of the woods now. Out of the holes, rather. Haha. That's a good one. Wait till I tell the boys. Out of the holes. Haha. Wait a minute. The car's sinking. It won't go. Hey, it is getting dark. Help, help."

At this point there was a blur of static on the machine. We rushed to the window but too late. All that could be seen of the car was its roof and as we watched in horrified silence, it too went out of sight. Well never know who he was but when the hole in the road is filled in, we bet that the surface will be a lot firmer with a foundation of a 1948 deluxe model.

Atkins' (Bowmanville Statesman)

Ludger Dionne, the Quebec

M.P. who flew out a flock of

Pink girls to work in his spin-

ning mills, spoke in the House

of Commons on March 9 on the

high cost of living. He sought

to prove that the cost of labor

was the big factor in the present

price structure. He quoted a cost

index which showed wages to be

70 percent higher than in 1929

and blamed extravagance as the

cause of the current squawks

about food costs. He took one

item alone, the consumption of

liquor, as an example. Official

figures show that Canadians

have spent \$2,424,086,053.00 on

alcohol since 1939.

The specific request and its

implications are of no particular

moment but when committee

members argued that an increase

in steel prices might bring about

a demand from labor for a wage

increase to match the raise,

Mr. Fairless declared:

"Labor does not eat steel."

From that hypothesis, he argued,

why should they ask for higher

wages.

Definitely labor does not eat

steel. But the insatiable demand

of labor and other middle class

folk for refrigerators, automobiles

and the many other things into

which steel pours has been

largely responsible for the de-

velopment acquired today.

To indicate that the price of

steel does not enter into the cost

of living is to turn back the

clocks at least a couple of centuries.

As president of the world's

greatest steel company, Mr. Fairless should know better.

Quite an argument for an industrialist in behalf of farmers.

We hope it will be noted by the

Milk Board and the government

as a pretty good summary of the

position of the dairy farm fam-

From The Era and Express files, April 1, 1948

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gardner spent Easter holidays with friends at St. Catharines.

A number of Newmarket Odd-Fellows went to Sutton last Friday and took part in a school of instruction at the Lodge there. Miss Rose Milliken, Midland, who has been visiting Margaret Walker, Vandorf, has returned home.

Local market was small this week with butter selling at 55 cents a lb. and eggs at 30 cents a doz.

Mr. Harry Fleury, manager of the Bank of Montreal, Alliston, has been appointed manager of the local branch here.

Miss Gladys Miller, Newmarket, spent last weekend with her friend, Ina Richardson, Vandorf.



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CLUBHOUSE
PEANUT BUTTER - - - 16 OZ. JAR 41c
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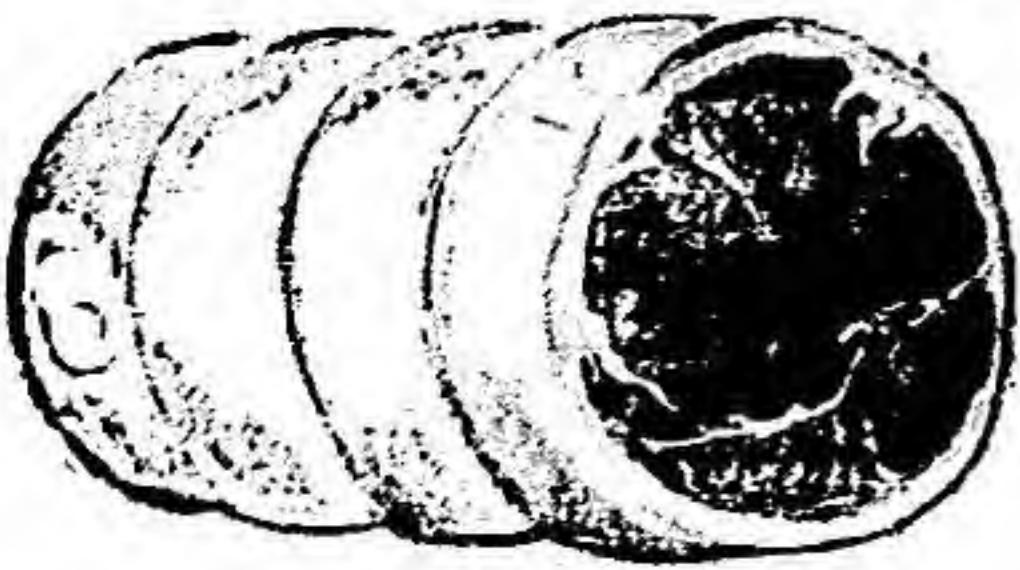


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For sale—5-roomed house, built in bath, good cellar, cement block foundation, insul-bric siding, good furnace, insulated, choice lot 50' x 140', \$5,500; \$5,500 cash, balance arranged. Possession April 1. Apply Murray Baker, 72 Andrew St., Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—in Newmarket, house centrally located, terms, executor must sell, veteran preferred, 3-story solid brick, 10 rooms, hardwood flooring, new furnace, spacious lot, low taxes. Possession can be arranged. Phone Newmarket 844 or write P.O. box 450. Ideal for large family or boarders. tfl10

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
\$8,000—Good terms 1 acre, 4 rooms, insul-bric. Sunroom. Inside conveniences. Cellar, garage, 2 good chicken houses. Bus service at door. See this one tonight. Charles E. Boyd, Realtor, 17 Main St. Phone 533, Newmarket, or 75612. c1w10

2A HOUSE WANTED

House wanted—in Newmarket or vicinity, 6-8 rooms, for cash. All modern conveniences. Apply Era and Express box 42. *3w8

Wanted to rent—Three or four rooms or small house, middle-aged couple, no children. F. Hastings, phone 118, Newmarket. tfl7

4 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For sale—Choice lots (Newmarket Rosedale), (Lundy Ave. and Bolton Ave.). Apply C. F. Willis, 55 Millard Ave., Newmarket, or phone 497. tfl1

14 ROOMS WANTED

Room wanted—By April 2, nurse requires nice single bed-sitting room, near the hospital, grill privileges. Phone Newmarket 783. *2w9

ROOMS FOR RENT

For rent—Two rooms, furnished. Light housekeeping privileges. Apply 13 Main St. or phone 493, Newmarket. c1w10

For rent—Bright front bed-sitting room, board optional, for 2 business people willing to share same room. Apply 22 Andrew St., or phone 253m, Newmarket. c1w10

15 BOARDERS WANTED

Rooms and board available. Gentlemen only. Apply 49 Prospect Ave., or phone 246w, Newmarket. *R2w9

Boarders wanted—Apply 226 Main St., Newmarket. *1w10

17 ARTICLES FOR SALE

For sale—Venetian blinds, aluminum or steel, made for all styles of windows. Free estimates and installations. Phone 755, apply 40 Ontario St. W., or write P.O. box 496, Newmarket. tfl1

For sale—Folding pram \$5; small crib \$3, both in fair condition. Apply 6 Ontario St., Newmarket, phone 784w. c2w9

For sale—Small crib, 20 x 40, practically new, with mattress, \$6. Apply 18 Ontario St. W., Newmarket. *2w9

For sale—Victor cabinet radio, battery. Good condition. Apply Elmer Pollard, Queensville, R. R. 2, phone Queensville 1527. *2w9

For sale—Chemical closet, white enamel casing, mahogany finished seat, used for very short time; wheel chair. Apply 53 Timothy St. W., or phone 1067. Newmarket. *2w9

For sale—Enamelled Acme range with oil burner and barrels, wood and coal grates. Apply 47 Millard Ave., Newmarket, or phone 976w. tfl10

For sale—Lady's bicycle, practically new. Apply Mrs. G. H. Whitton, phone Queensville 206. *1w10

For sale—Large electric refrigerator, of wood, suitable for domestic or commercial use. Phone Newmarket 429, after 7 p.m. c1w10

For sale—Ace refrigerator like new, 2-plate electric Tudhope range with automatic oven control, only used 8 months. Phone Newmarket 202w13. *1w10

For sale—Car radio, B. and F. Goodrich, 6 months old, very good condition. Apply Newmarket Taxi, phone 778. c1w10

For sale—Paint spraying outfit complete with motor, almost new, also mall box and pot, nearly new. Apply Robt. Harbinson, Oak Ridge. *1w10

For sale—Boy's plaid sport jacket, size 13 to 16, good as new. Phone 363j Newmarket. c1w10

For sale—Lady's brown plaid coat, fitted style, size 16; child's coat and hat set, wool check, Princess style, size 6x, both in excellent condition. Phone 610w, Newmarket. c1w10

For sale—Buffet, table and six chairs. Apply Mrs. M. Gordon, Keswick, phone Roche's Point 1005. *2w10

For sale—Kitchen cabinet, natural finish, in good condition. Apply Mrs. Wilmot Keeth, Island Grove, phone Roche's Point 1005. *2w10

For sale—Computing scales, 24-lb. cylinder type, government tested; Eaton cream separator, 600-lb. capacity, new condition; barrel chest, other items. Reasonable. Apply B. Chandler, Keswick. c1w10

For sale—Gir's two-piece brown gabardine suit, excellent condition, size 14. Phone 793m, Newmarket. c1w10

For sale—New Perfection coal oil stove, black and white; blue baby pram. Gendron, girl's bicycle, good condition. Apply Mrs. Jos. Fleury, phone Aurora 39w. c1w10

For sale—Meat grinder, meat cutter, sausage filler. Apply Fred Bruni, R. R. 3, Newmarket. *2w10

178 MERCHANDISE

For sale—Radio tubes and batteries. We carry a complete stock of Eveready, Burgess and General batteries for all radios. We have a large stock of all available tubes. Stewart Bear, Radio and Appliances, 113 Main St., phone 355, Newmarket. tfl1

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For sale—Spirella individually cut, made-to-measure foundation garments, very light, medium or heavy. Apply Mrs. B. Brown, 100 Park Ave., or phone 551j, Newmarket. tfl1

For sale—Beatty and Westinghouse washers, refrigerators, ranges, cleaners, tub stands, wash tubs, clothes racks, tub drainers, radios. Service on all appliances. Spillette and Son, Newmarket. tfl1

18 ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—Cordwood, logs, poles and posts, bought for cash. Apply Fred Taylor, 74 Richmond St., Richmond Hill, or phone 310w. tfl1

Wanted to buy—Antique glass, china, furniture, etc. Phone or write McLean Trading Co., Thornhill Ont. c2w4

19 USED CARS FOR SALE

For sale—'33 Dodge, completely overhauled and repainted. Phone Newmarket 880r. c1w10

For sale—1912 Harley Davidson motorcycle, model 45, in excellent condition. Best offer. Phone Newmarket 793m. c1w10

19A USED CAR WANTED

Wanted to buy—Good car wanted from private party, between 1929 and 1935. Phone Bradford 152r. c1w10

20 USED TRUCK FOR SALE

For sale—1942 Maple Leaf 2 1/2-ton dump truck, 235 motor, boost brakes, 8.25 x 20 tires and spare, D.P. axle, heavy springs, radio, heater, 4 yrs. Woods box and hoist, fish plates, fire extinguisher and flares. P.C.V. class F; good condition. Will consider '41 or '2 car as trade in. Phone 797j, Newmarket. *1w10

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Help wanted—Girl or woman, cheerful disposition, fond of children. Phone 406w, Newmarket. c2w9

Help wanted—Saleslady, experienced in dresses and lingerie. Apply Era and Express box 44. c2w9

Farm help wanted—Man and wife or man only, Holland Marsh people preferred, to batch and to share cottage, owner to use one room only weekends till new house is completed. Light duties, cutting grass, garden work, improving grounds, really a summer holiday. Normal salary or shares. Apply Era and Express box 52. c1w10

Help wanted—Housekeeper for family of two adults, to take full charge of home furnished with all modern equipment. Reply stating experience and qualifications, also wages required. Write Era and Express box 49. *1w10

Help wanted—Refined girl or woman as domestic. Apply Mrs. Art Dawson (Dawson's Boat Works), Keswick. *1w10

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For sale—Quantity of Erban and Ajax oats, suitable for seed. Apply W. H. Cunningham, Holt Mount Albert 2621. *2w10

For sale—200 rod rail fence. Apply Angus Cameron, Sutton West. *1w10

For sale—Vega cream separator (L.S.), in good condition. Apply Wm. Wilson, R. R. 2, Newmarket. Ont., box 315. Phone 657. tfl2

For sale—Good clean Ajax oats, 125 bushel at the barn. Apply Wm. L. Winch, Bellhaven. *1w10

For sale—Jamesway electric incubator, 600 eggs, electric brooder, 300-chick size, 2 silent burning oil brooders, 500 capacity, used 3 mos., egg crates, feeders, waterers all sizes, candler and scales. Other items. Reasonable. Apply B. Chandler, Keswick. c1w10

For sale—Registered Ayrshire cows, fresh and springers, 3-year-old colt, 2 farm cultivators. Apply Roy Stewart, Mount Albert, phone 1002, Mount Albert. *1w10

For sale—Timbers 34' x 10' x 10', some shorter 10' x 10', also short pieces for moving buildings. 10' x 10'. F. W. Schmidt, Kettleby, phone Aurora 100r12. *1w10

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For sale—Quantity of hens. Will pay up to \$1.50 each and will call at your door. Phone Lefroy 2631. tfl1

For sale—Baled hay and straw. Apply Wm. Kell, Gifford, phone Lefroy 2631. *3w9

For sale—Mixed hay, \$18 per ton. Apply Harry West, Bogartown. *3w9

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30 SEED FOR SALE

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

AND OTHERS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HANNAH KNOWLES, LATE OF THE TOWN OF NEWMARKET, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, WIDOW.

All persons having claims against the estate of Hannah Knowles, late of the Town of Newmarket, in the County of York, Widow, deceased, who died on or about the Twenty-fourth day of October, 1947, are hereby notified to send in to the undersigned executors on or before the Tenth day of April, 1948, full particulars of their claims, after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the executors shall then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this Fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1948.

George Knowles and Annie Andrews,

Executors, by their solicitors herein,

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BIRTHS

Apps—At York County hospital, Thursday, Mar. 25, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Apps, Newmarket, a son.

Cable—At York County hospital, Tuesday, Mar. 30, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. George Cable, R.R. 2, Newmarket, a son.

Miller—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Mar. 31, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller, Queen Richmond Hill, a daughter.

McLean—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Mar. 31, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald McLean, Richmond Hill, a daughter.

Pegg—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Mar. 24, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pegg, Newmarket, a son.

Saunders—At York County hospital Monday, Mar. 29, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Saunders, R.R. 1, Beeton, a son.

Tapp—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Mar. 31, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Tapp, Bradford, a daughter.

Verkaik—At York County hospital, Thursday, April 1, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Verkaik, R.R. 2, Tottenham, a son.

Yate—At York County hospital, Saturday, Mar. 27, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Yate, Aurora, a son.

DEATHS

Allin—At York County hospital, Sunday, March 28, 1948, Percy Allin, husband of Sarah Ann Atkinson, father of Fred and Mrs. H. Oliver (Hazel) brother of Mrs. Alfred Andrews.

The funeral service was held Wednesday afternoon in Aurora United church. Interment Aurora cemetery.

Crake—Suddenly, on Friday, March 28, 1948, at the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Sandra Anne, daughter of Alan and Lilian Crake and sister of Delmore, Bradford, in her eighth year.

The funeral service was held Monday afternoon. Interment in Aurora cemetery.

Giles—At Newmarket on Monday, March 29, 1948, Alfie Case, wife of the late John Henry Giles, mother of Kenneth, Aurora, Deane, Muirhead and Jack Giles, Newmarket.

The funeral service was held at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose this afternoon. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Van Loven—Suddenly, on Tuesday, Mar. 30, 1948, at his home, 73 Pemberton Ave., North York, Stephen Allen Van Loven, 3-month-old son of John L. and Mabel Seale Van Loven.

Service on Thursday. Interment Pine Orchard cemetery.

Vernon—At Sutton, on Saturday, March 27, 1948, George Ernest Vernon, husband of Alice Mary Brice, father of Dorothy and Gayle.

The funeral service was held Tuesday afternoon. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Regional Supervisor Visits Health Nurse

Newmarket—Miss Edna Squires, regional supervisor for public health, provincial department of health, visited Miss Clara Kittner, public health nurse here, on Monday and Tuesday of last week.

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Junior Cooks Have Innings At Ex.

Junior cooks will have their innings at the Canadian National Exhibition this year by being able to compete, for the first time, with mother, big sister and grandmother, too! The 1948 junior prize list received by schools across Canada announces baking competition open to all—boys and girls, men and women of all ages, with the money prizes going for the best lattice-top raisin pie, best oatmeal cookies, best Parkerhouse rolls, best birthday cake and a host of other things as well.

And just to make it really easy, Kate Aiken, director, of women's activities at the Ex, sends along with the prize list her suggested birthday cake recipes for grandma and for Bobby.

Other exciting news in the new prize list is the announcement of brand new competitions. They are a back-to-school sweater and skirt contest for girls from 13 to 18, an apron contest for young ladies under 13, a newscaster contest and an orange crate competition.

All entries must be in May 15. Prize lists are available without charge by writing the Director, Women's Activities, Woman's Building, Exhibition Park, Toronto.

Holland Mayor Sends Greetings

Newmarket — A message of greetings was received by Mayor Vale from K. Ausma, mayor of Midwolda, Holland, in reply to a similar message sent by Mayor Vale and carried by Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Oosterhuis, Cotter St., on their visit to their homeland in January. It was the first return by Mr. and Mrs. Oosterhuis in 20 years.

Excerpts from the letter follow:

"It was a great pleasure for me to receive your letter through an inhabitant of your town who was formerly an inhabitant of my municipality. I highly appreciate this sample of interest and sympathy.

I am very thankful for the kind words you wrote to me and for the good wishes you expressed for my country and for my municipality. Also the favorable evidence you gave of the Dutchmen who are living in your town did me much good. With great interest I read your information about Canada and about your town about which also Mr. Oosterhuis told me several interesting details.

"I can assure you that your country has a high reputation with us in Holland. We shall never forget that our beloved Princess Juliana and her children enjoyed such a great hospitality with you during those anxious days of the war. During the visit which your Prime Minister, the Right Honorable MacKenzie King paid to Holland last year the Dutch people clearly demonstrated that they are ever so grateful for all that Canada did for our Royal Family and our country.

Touched by Sacrifices

"We were also greatly touched by the fact that Canada made such great sacrifices to liberate Holland from the hated German yoke. We are very sorry that during the struggle for the liberation of the province of Groningen so many Canadian young men lost their lives. The inhabitants of my municipality paid homage to those brave men, on which occasion it fell to my share to express the gratitude of the population and the grief and sorrow we felt. I can tell you that our joy about our liberation was much reduced at the thought that your country had to sacrifice so many lives for us.

"I cannot find the words to express how much Holland owes to Canada and therefore our sympathy for Canada is very strong. We shall never forget what Canada did for Holland and what it has been for us. I consider it a great privilege to declare all this to you in such an unsought way. From what I have said till now you see that strong ties of friendship grew between the Canadian people and the municipality of Midwolda. There even grew bonds of love as a few Canadian soldiers chose a life-partner from the girls of Midwolda! You may not have expected that there are so many points of contact between Canada and Midwolda.

Labor of Recovery

"Holland is busy laboring now to recover from the heavy blows it received during the days of war. With much trouble it goes uphill again but the difficulties are almost insurmountable. We anxiously look forward to the help which the Marshall-plan will give us. The municipalities too have a difficult task nowadays. House famine is great everywhere and building is almost impossible for want of materials and skilled labor. The big army which Holland has to keep to protect its overseas territories surpasses far our financial capacity. The economic situation in the municipality of Midwolda might be worse. Its population lives, chiefly on agriculture; it has a few prosperous industries too. However the high taxes and the high cost of living weighs upon the standard of living. But we regained

Young Canadians in one-roomed country schools and their city cousins are invited to work on the same classroom projects. Whole classes, whether the pupils are five or 15, are invited to do themselves proud by working together on murals, clay models, puppets and peep shows and then submitting only the best ones. This year for the first time, classroom arts and crafts work is not to be entered on a competitive basis. Sent to the Ex for display purposes only, it will present a colorful and graphic picture of children's life and thinking in all parts of the dominion.

The popular junior driving competition, to be known as the Young Drivers Rodeo, is open to boys and girls under 21 who have either temporary or permanent driving licenses. Public speaking contests will be held as before.

All entries must be in May 15. Prize lists are available without charge by writing the Director, Women's Activities, Woman's Building, Exhibition Park, Toronto.

St. Paul's Services Well Attended

Newmarket — All the three Easter services at St. Paul's church were well attended and the special service for the children in the afternoon when they brought their Lenten self-denial boxes to be presented was also well attended. All shut-in or sick persons in the parish will receive a private celebration of the Holy Communion this week. If anyone has not notified the rector and wishes a private service, please phone as soon as possible so that no one will be overlooked. Phone 240, the rectory, or get in touch with Mr. Rhodes personally.

Members of the Parochial Guild are meeting this evening to make final arrangements for their spring tea to be held in the parish hall Friday, April 2, when they hope to meet all their old friends and many new ones. Every effort is being put forth to make it a particularly enjoyable occasion.

Mr. L. R. Willis, Newmarket, divinity student at Wycliffe College, Toronto, gave the sermon at the Easter evening service. Mr. Willis is a very fluent speaker and his address Sunday evening was greatly appreciated.

Next Thursday, April 8, is the monthly devotional and business meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary when the rector will continue his talk on the Study Book for the year "One Family".

KETTLEBY

The monthly meeting of the Kettleby Women's Institute was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Norman Greensides, on Thursday, March 25, with most of the members present.

Mrs. Schmidt and Mrs. Carson were welcomed back with their baby sons. Among the visitors were Mrs. Howard Black with her twin daughters, and Mrs. Carl Black with her new son, so there was a good showing of young Canadians.

Mrs. West read a letter of thanks for parcels of food and clothing from the family in England which the Institute adopted some time ago, and to whom parcels are sent regularly. Mrs. A. Farren gave a good report of the recent meeting of district directors. A demonstration of hair dressing was given by Miss Mae McCluskey. Mrs. P. W. Ball gave two readings. The highlight of the meeting was the inspiring talk given by Miss B. Reynolds on "The art of living peacefully with all nationalities". She said if we could only understand we are all alike in wanting love, a sense of being wanted, happy homes, security and a chance to make a decent living, with no thought of being superior, but all using our different gifts for the good of all, we could make our Canadian Citizenship something worth living for. Let us greet our new citizens with the hand of fellowship and do our best to understand each other, remembering we are just people with the same basic needs, she said. While the refreshments were being prepared, each one present was given a piece of white cloth with a needle threaded with red cotton and told to work a pig without drawing an outline. It was real fun to see all the different kinds some long and lean, others round and fat. A prize was given for the best, won by Mrs. Cook.

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Climaxing a series of local meetings in the adjoining counties, the annual meeting of the Maple Cattle Breeders held at Maple March 22 brought out a record attendance of 160 which taxed the Masonic Hall to capacity. President G. W. Keffler, Maple, presided for most of the meeting assisted by his vice president, Norman Porter, Thornhill.

In his secretary's report, J. M. McDonald pointed out that the membership of 282 which jumped to 683 in 1947 is still increasing at over 20 a month, not to mention those representing new breeds or additional counties.

Of the total membership he stated 84 percent do not own a bull at all. In presenting the financial statement, he stated that a firm of chartered accountants had been appointed at the last annual meeting as auditors and all property including the bulls were being depreciated and he showed a break down of the five dollar service fee paid for the 6,896 cows bred in 1947.

The president reported that following an interview with the executive delegations from the counties of Peterborough and Victoria are conducting a canvass in these counties now with surprisingly good response. Agreements from approximately 100 breeds and 1,000 cows each by the Ayrshire and Jersey breeders were presented by Andrew Stewart, Bolton, fieldman of the Ontario Ayrshire, and W. M. Cockburn, Newmarket, secret club. Both were given assurance that batteries of bulls of these breeds would be secured within the next month or so.

W. P. Watson, livestock commissioner for Ontario, spoke briefly of his appreciation of the work being done by the unit and offered a few suggestions for the future of the association. With the growth of the work a part time secretary can no longer handle the affairs so the directors appointed G. W. Keffler as secretary-manager. Mr. Keffler, one of the founders of the unit, has been president since it was organized and has given a great deal of time and thought to it. A popular young businessman, well known throughout the district, Andrew Snider, Maple, has been appointed as treasurer and assistant secretary to take over from Mr. McDonald as soon as the office and laboratory adjoining the new barn are completed. The barn will have 16 box stalls and already is likely to be inadequate to accommodate all three breeds.

In the election of three directors for the three-year term, Harry Walker, Newmarket, was re-elected for York, Walter Haliday, Columbus, for Ontario county and Alvin Snider, Brampton, for Peel county. The other directors with incomplete terms are Norman Porter, Thornhill, who was elected president, R. J. Darlington, Maple, elected vice president, Fraser Gee, Gormley, Russell Rountree, Woodbridge, all of York county, Ralph Robertson, Stroud (Simcoe county) and Frank Stark, Milton (Halton county). J. M. McDonald was re-appointed secretary-treasurer until the new appointees, Messrs. Keffler and Snider, can take over.

The Young People conducted the evening worship assisted by the president, Mr. Ivan Gordon, and Ann Cunningham. Mr. Gordon spoke on "The Meaning of the Cross". The Young People presented the religious drama, Joseph of Arimathea, with Mr. Clare Eves as Joseph, Ivan Gibson as Nicodemus, Ray Leadbetter as the Roman centurion, Marion Eves as Esther, Evelyn Smith as Anna, Wesley Morton as the page, Margaret Morton as first lady and Louise Morton as second lady, Mr. Fred Glover as Joash. The Easter story was beautiful told in costume and picture with good expression and acting. They are to be congratulated with the excellent results.

The hymns were shown in technicolor and the stoning of Stephen, Paul's conversion, were graphically seen in moving pictures with sound effects. The story of the good Samaritan followed with a modern responsibility brought home in Tomorrow's Citizens. The evening closed with Abide With Me, Mr. G. DeWitt, National Film Board, and Mr. Tice, Newmarket, were the visiting move and sound technicians. This Easter day will be memorable in the history of Queensville. The Young People are encouraged to sponsor the more expensive films and will do so at a later date.

Mrs. Elliott and daughter visited her mother, Mrs. Robt. Stiles, during the weekend.

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Glad to report Mr. Robt. Leith and Mrs. Wm. Greig are improving in health.

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**Guernsey Breeders
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Meeting at the Maple Villa, Maple, March 23, Guernsey breeders from York and Simcoe counties formed the York-Simcoe Guernsey Club, affiliated with the Ontario Guernsey Breeders' Association. Those present, numbering 40, heard Carl Ellis, president of the Ontario Guernsey Cattle Breeders' Association, and Dr. A. R. Campbell, secretary of the Canadian Guernsey Breeders' Association, speak briefly and extend greetings from their respective organizations at the same time expressing the belief that Guernseys were increasing in popularity in Ontario and Canada.

Following a resume of calf club organization work by W. M. Cockburn, agricultural representative for York, Bruce Hodgins, Ontario Guernsey field secretary, outlined the plans of his association for 1948 which included calf club encouragement, support of fairs and means of increasing the sale of golden Guernsey milk. John McMechan, manager of Donlands Dairy, gave the Meaning and Message of Easter from the challenging text, "Awake thou that sleepest—rise from the dead—and Christ shall give thee light!". Three young girls were confirmed to membership in the church, Edna Skinner, Shirley Cole and Joyce Leadbetter.

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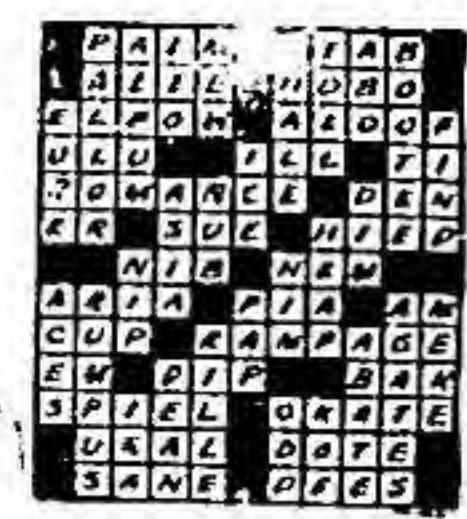
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**BROWNHILL**

March 25—The main topic here is roads and some of us are beginning to wonder what the word means. The roads are the worst they have ever been since the days of the corduroy when at least you had a chance. But then there were no cars. We are really in a bad way. No bakers or milkmen. All the ditches and land are flooded. Most of us need a helicopter—you know, one of those planes that don't need a 50-acre field to take off from. Well, it sure is a good time to tear the house upside down and do housecleaning. You are pretty sure you aren't going to have guests drive in.

Mr. Charles Harrison was a guest of Mr. Warren Sedore on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mitchell are able to get The Star to us for which we are thankful.

Last Sunday was such a lovely day that even the married couples were out walking.

Mrs. Bertie Sedore was visiting Mrs. Francis Sedore last week.

We are all glad that Linda Mae is doing fine after her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. William Macnamara were up to their home here but were not able to get in because of the water all around it.

Mr. Wilson, the gentleman who has located on the eighth con., has returned to his place there. He was out west and for a while in Hamilton.

Miss Gerrie Sedore was out driving on Saturday.

Miss Ina Vokes spent the weekend at Brown Hill.

Mr. Reford Sedore's racoons have gone away. We hope they return soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Vokes and Fay spent Sunday in Brown Hill. Mr. John Chappell, Jr., is now home for awhile.

We are glad Mrs. Chappell will not be having an operation as previously reported.

John Warren was home last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Hillis were guests of Mrs. C. Mitchell on Sunday.

Mr. J. E. Mitchell visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sedore on Sunday.

There was no Sunday-school or church due to bad roads. We hope Mrs. Bosko's mother is fully recovered so that Rev. and Mrs. Bosko are again with us.

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KETTLEBY

Christ church was beautifully decorated with snapdragons on Easter Sunday, some special ones being placed on the altar by the family of Mr. and Mrs. Gritten in memory of Mrs. Gritten's mother, Mrs. Ada Ineson, who died last December. After the service, the flowers were given to the sick members of the parish. The anthem was sung by Mrs. Merchant, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Black and Mr. Ed. Williams, the other members of the choir joining in the chorus. It was heart-warming to see so many members of the congrega-

tion present. We hope they will continue to worship regularly with us. There was also a good response to the call for "Food for Britain."

Master Henry and Miss Lois Merchant are visiting relatives in Schomberg and Tottenham for the Easter holidays.

A party is being held on Wednesday, April 7, in the parish hall at Kettleby for Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Munshaw who were married recently.

Service will be held at the usual hour of 3 p.m. on Sunday at Christ church.

A eucrhe will be held in S.S. No. 11 Friday, April 9, sponsored

by the Community Club. Good prizes and refreshments. All are welcome.

W.M.S. MEETING APRIL 8

Newmarket—On April 8, the regular monthly meeting of the Afternoon Auxiliary of the W.M.S. of Trinity United church will include the making of quilts promised for the missionary bale, which will be forwarded next month. An interesting program will be given, and afternoon tea will be served. Any one interested in this work will be welcome.



WILLOW BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Draper and family spent Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. Marratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Findlay, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson.

A number from here attended the eucrhe in Keswick last Wednesday.

Guests at Cedar Brae Lodge over Easter included Mrs. F. Culliton and Miss Katherine Wade, Toronto.

Misses Joan and Jane Chapman are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Violet Chapman, for the Easter holidays.

Miss Phyllis Sedore had a house party over Easter weekend.

Mr. Wilfrid Graves has resigned his position in Toronto and is home for the spring and summer months.

Miss Eleanor Thayer arrived home on Saturday after spending the winter in Cuba. On her way home she spent a week in Saint Petersburg, Florida.

The Kosy Klub met at the home of Mrs. Mie Sedore on Tuesday.

Mrs. Kay McNeill and family spent Easter with Mrs. Kay's father, Mr. K. O'Dell.

SCHOMBERG

Bruce Denton Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman C. Payne, Maple, celebrated his third birthday on Wednesday, March 24.

KETTLEBY

Sunday, April 4, is Layman's day at Kettleby United church. Guest speaker is Mr. H. B. Balmor, layman, Toronto. Soloist will be Mrs. Johnson. A sing-song will be lead by Mr. Frank Curtis. Mrs. R. Marshall is organist. Mrs. Herb Webster, pianist, Mr. Carl Black, violinist. Service will be directed by Mr. R. Marshall assisted by W. Hodgson.

A new case of books of the travelling library has arrived. These books are available to any member of the community free of charge. They may be obtained from Mrs. Harry Burns, secretary of Kettleby Women's Institute.

At Kettleby United church, Sunday, March 28, the choir sang special Easter music and Mrs. E. Hobbs favored all with her rendition of The Holy City.

PLEASANTVILLE

Bogartown Club meeting was well attended on Friday night at the school. Two guests from Newmarket on the program were Rev. M. E. R. Boudreau, who gave a splendid address, and Master Michael Murphy, who delighted his audience with several recitations.

The Pine Orchard Union church was well filled on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Rowan was in the pulpit. A large basket of flowers were at the altar in memory of Mr. Wm. McCullum and placed there by his widow. Mrs. Tucker of Newmarket spent Friday at the Walker and Stickwood home.

Miss S. McQueen of Stayner was a guest for the holiday weekend at the William's home, Bogartown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Colville had Saturday night tea with Mr. and Mrs. E. Tool and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Jewitt, Kettleby, and Miss S. McQueen, Stayner, also Mr. E. Madill, Aurora, were guests for Sunday tea at the home of Mrs. G. McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Shepherd and children were at the home of Mrs. Wm. Moss for Thursday tea.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Colville entertained Mrs. G. McClure and Murray at Good Friday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. David Coates of Sharon had Sunday dinner at Douglas McClure's home.

Mrs. A. Tucker of Newmarket had Mrs. G. McClure as guest for Saturday tea.

Miss McQueen of Stayner had Saturday tea with Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Ewart, Bogartown.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Shepherd have moved to Newmarket on Main St.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and two children spent the long weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Clarke in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Forbes and little Donna of Oshawa are holidaying with Mrs. Chas. Toole.

MOUNT PLEASANT

Mrs. Ross Stiles and Gordon had Good Friday supper with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson.

The Women's Guild supper will be held on Wednesday, April 7, at the church with supper from 6 to 8 p.m.

Some roads are not good at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stiles, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson were in Sutton on Easter Monday calling on Mr. and Mrs. Merle Water who are leaving this week to make their home in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fairbarn received word of the death of their cousin, Kenneth Fairbarn, in Toronto on Sunday morning. He was killed by a train while delivering milk.

Uncle Jake, the town character, had just reached his eightieth birthday.

"Don't you hate to grow old?" he was asked.

"Heck no," was the reply. "If I wasn't old I'd be dead."

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ELEVEN

Snowball W.I. Euchre Aids Legion Fund

Exemplifying the good neighbor spirit, Snowball Women's Institute held a successful euchre and draw on Tuesday night in aid of the building fund of Aurora Branch 385, Canadian Legion. While full returns are not yet available the event was one of the largest and most enjoyable staged in the district in some years. It is understood that Kettleby Women's Institute and one or two district organizations are planning to raise money for the Legion's project

in grateful remembrance of the contribution made by district servicemen. The Legion's campaign for funds still continues and is meeting with growing success.

QUEENSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Huntley, Dawes Rd., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Huntley, before leaving for Philadelphia for the summer.

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DOWN THE CENTRE

With AB HULSE

Aurora Flyers bowed out of the O.H.A. junior C race last Friday at Oshawa before the finished play of Gananoque juniors. The winners looked impressive in victory and should bring Eastern Ontario its first junior C championship. The critics say Puffy O'Hearn's team was greatly improved from the one which fell before Victoria Square in three games last season and is interesting to note that the Gans hold wins over Inkerman juniors, presently playing Halifax St. Mary's in the Memorial Cup series, and Kingston Vics, eliminated from the B series by Upper Canada College.

Aurora juniors need not feel badly about two losses to the green and white clad easterners, most of whom are in their last year of junior hockey, for in defeat they covered themselves with glory by their game efforts. The breaks went against the Aurora kids, but it was the timely thrusts of the winners that made the difference. Gananoque were opportunists and knew what to do at the right time and time after time it was Eric Smith who held the teams on even keel. Nothing can be gained by delving into the land of "what might have been". Probably the biggest contributing factor to the Aurora defeat was the lack of good opposition all year. You can't learn good hockey playing against weak competition and once the Square was elevated to B hockey the competition fell out of the local group. Penalties all year, too, were a bugbear to the Aurora kids. You can't win in the sun-bin. Fortunately, the boys will have some tangible momentos for the season as they ended in blue ink and the club is on the cooperative basis. The cut in Oshawa on Friday exceeded the best amount the local lads received at Aurora arena over the season. Messrs. Leonard Simmons, Earl Attridge, Jack Bowser, Jr., Gordon Stout, Stewart Patrick and other team backers can take a bow for their efforts over the year—the Flyers are a credit to Aurora.

Human interest stories arising from the Gananoque win include that of Bud Brown, one of the standout Gananoque players. Brown has been wearing an unlaundered sweat shirt every game and his mates made sure that he didn't mislay it for the Aurora series. The only game the team lost this season was against Lindsay and "The Rocket" turned up with his sweat shirt missing. Brown, incidentally, trains on steak and apple pie as his pre-game meal. Bingey Jackson, the youngest player on the Gananoque forward line, still chews bubble gum on and off the ice and amuses his mates at the rest periods by blowing bubbles.

Bill Boychoff will try out for Guelph Biltmores next winter and Ron Simmons, after offers from Galt, Guelph and Barrie Flyers, will go to Barrie next fall for the acid test with the junior A champions. Jack Andrews, who like Simmons, still has two more years of junior hockey left, will also get a whirl with the Flyers. In the Gananoque series Andrews played his best hockey of the year and he appears to be recovered from the hard luck that has pursued him most of his hockey days. Coach Bill Capel will resume his track and field training and will be candidate for the Canadian Olympic team in the pole vault event. Capel, who hails from Owen Sound, is said to be able to do better than 13' with ease. He's also good at other field events.

Rumor has it already that Aurora will enter the intermediate field next winter with Eric Smith, Loring Doolittle, Mike Brinkos, Norm Nigh, Dave Hopper, Howard Patrick, from the juniors, as a nucleus. Alf Childs of Hoffmann's, Bill Capel, Doug Clark, Frank Gregoire, Whitey Jones, Alf Cotev are others on hand to round out the squad. They could get B rating. More rumor has an all-homebrew team ready to go next winter with Billy Attridge, Bill McGhee, Bill Patrick and Tommy Brodie forming the foundation of a fine club and possibly Simmons and Andrews, if they fail to stick in higher company. The juveniles can provide some good recruits. Meanwhile, we'll await the cry of "play ball."

Aurora Bowlers Bring Season To End

The Aurora Bowling league brought their season to a successful close with a banquet and prize night at Dal-Har Grill. Officers elected for 1948-9 are: pres., Alf. Morrison; sec., Ed. Dailey; treas., Douglas Harrison.

The James Wilson trophy was presented to George Brown, captain of the league winners, the Hot-Shots, by Ben Harrison. T. A. M. Hulse was guest speaker and presided over the election of officers. From the pool money contributed by the members, Hot-Shots drew \$4 each, Hoosiers \$3 each, Flyers \$2 each, and Counter-Hoppers \$1 each. Pin boys Bob Bunn and Bob Stephens each received recognition from the group for their services. Les Beazer was chairman, and the retiring officers, Mr. Beazer, Cliff Chapman and George Brown, all received praise for their fine work.

The teams were: Hot-Shots, capt., George Brown, Leslie Beazer, Gordon Smith, George MacFarlane, Fred Coon, Roy Deavitt; Hoosiers: capt., Cliff Chapman, Herb Holman, Alf Cotev, Alf Morrison, Jack Mitchell, Norman Scott. Flyers: capt., Andre Clermonte, Howard Patrick, Ed. Dailey, Ed. Simpson, Jim Wilson, Bill Ham; Counter-Hoppers, capt., Jim Murray, Norman Egan, Guy Watson, Mac Fowler, Doug Harrison, Leonard Rose.

For the balance of the season, informal bowling will continue with the group with the cup series being resumed on Wednesday afternoons in the fall. The scores found all teams evenly bunched and Counter-Hoppers, who got off to a poor start, just about reached the leaders at the close of the year.

Flyers: capt., Andre Clermonte, Howard Patrick, Ed. Dailey, Ed. Simpson, Jim Wilson, Bill Ham; Counter-Hoppers, capt., Jim Murray, Norman Egan, Guy Watson, Mac Fowler, Doug Harrison, Leonard Rose.

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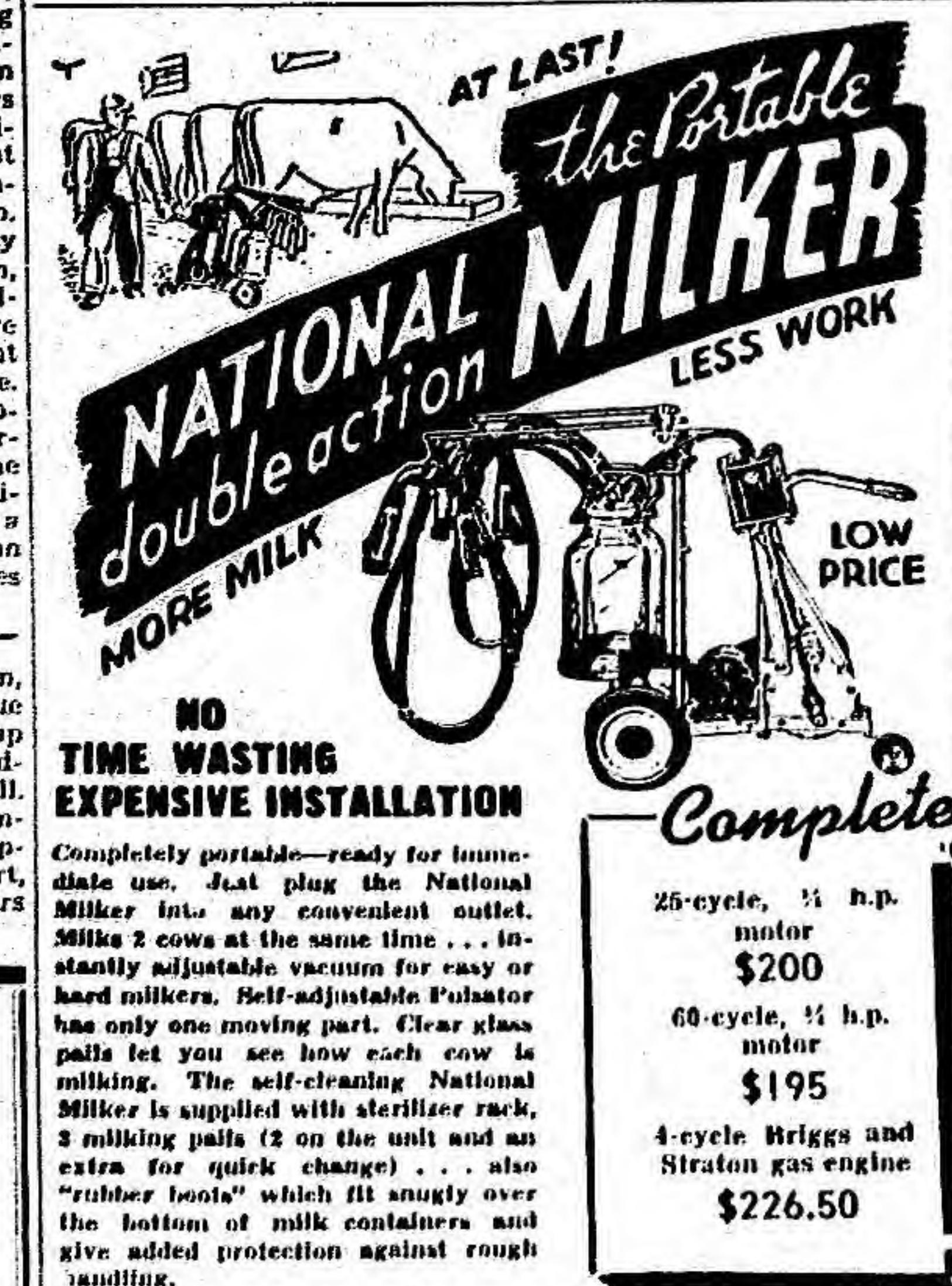
Flyers Reach End Of Play-off Trail

Aurora Flyers reached trail's end last week as Puffy O'Hearn's smartly coached Gananoque machine came from behind in sensational rallies to snatch victories twice in a row from the hard-fighting Aurora Juniors. It was 8-6 in the first game at Belleville, and 5-4 in overtime at Oshawa for the "Gans" who now are engaged in the junior C finals, and on their showing, should give Eastern Ontario its first junior championship. Individually, the Aurora boys were every bit as good as Gananoque. Collectively, the easterners had better puck savvy, played for the breaks, and reserved their best efforts for the right time. It takes nothing away from the winners to say that while they were a bit smoother than the losers, it still required that fickle jade, Lady Luck, to give them the edge. Most fans think the best team on the two games won out, and that takes nothing from the Flyers who were a credit to North York and themselves on and off the ice.

Penalties played their part in the series. Aurora drawing nine, to four for Gananoque in the two games. Aurora played a more rugged game, and the penalties in the first game especially were costly as Gananoque, down 4-1, drew even and went on to win. The penalties at Oshawa took a toll on the rest of the players left to defend their goal, and while they didn't figure directly in the scoring, they did contribute to the loss. "Mo" Walsh of Newmarket, and "Speedy" St. Louis of Belleville handled the first game and Bill Morrison of Oshawa and Ab. Grant of Toronto the second and being human they doubtless made mistakes, but the referees can't be blamed for the losses.

Curious enough, it was Ron Anderson of Gananoque who was the pinch-hitter for his team in both games. The substitute forward scored what proved to be the winning goal in Belleville and the pay-off goal in the overtime at Oshawa. He led both teams in scoring points with five. While Anderson led in the scoring, winger Bud Brown also gathered three goals, and blond Jerry Hudson, who played both forward and defence, along with pivot player, Vin. Keyes, contributed greatly to the success of the Gans. Goalie Norman Parrish played steady if not spectacular hockey, and was given good protection by Jack Munden, "Hummer" Comeau, and Hudson throughout. Except for the two regular defencemen, every player on the winning side hit the score sheet.

"Long Jawn" Andrews and Bill McGhee, who have not been in the "three-star" class many times over the season, both played spectacular hockey for Aurora in both games. Andrews fired home three goals in Oshawa and was outlucked on numerous occasions at Belleville. McGhee came back to the form of two years ago when he gave great promise. The reliable Ron Simmons while closely checked on every move, was a constant threat every time he got the



Recreation Commission Prepares For Summer

Newmarket — The Recreation Commission is getting its summer program under way and members of baseball clubs have been asked to the next meeting, Tuesday, April 6, at 7:30 p.m. The commission wants all interested organizations to send representatives to this meeting.

CONTINUES AS CORONER

In announcing the appointment of Dr. D. B. Westcott as coroner in last week's issue, it stated he would succeed Dr. L. W. Dales. The latter part of this item is in error as Dr. Dales continues as a coroner.

and Smith hadn't a chance.

Aurora again outshot Gananoque in the third period but only one goal resulted, Andrews getting his third tally of the night at 2:50. Two Aurora penalties aided the Gans in bogging down the Aurora attack at a time when it was redhot.

In the overtime, Gananoque let Aurora put on the pressure and were content to check assiduously and break as opportunity presented itself. Anderson finally outsped the Aurora team to bang home the winner at 5:55.

With two minutes left Smith was benched and six forwards put on a great drive that deserved a better fate. Gananoque broke away twice towards the empty net, but Andrews made the saves.

Wilfred Traviss moved from Prospect St. to Botsford St.



Bowling News

By PIN-BOY

Here is the final standing in the town men's league before the play-offs. Specialty 61, Dixon's 55, Metal Workers 53, Bowser's 51, Hisey's and Clover Kickers 49. The six lowest teams bowl off for a consolation prize. High men for last week were C: Tugwell, 771 with 279 high single, R. Wilson 738 (314), R. Gibson 710 (279), L. Keffer 703 (253) and H. Craddock 700 (306).

Flossie Campbell bowled the Rinkeydinks into first place in the Monday night girls' league this week. The Rinkeydinks have 58 points and the Crackpots 57. Floss Campbell bowled 117, 177 and 302 for 596. Violet Gilkes 187, 293, 116 for 598. Other good totals were Jesse Preston's 560 and Bea Daly's 552.

No doubt due to the thoughts of approaching festivities of a holiday weekend, the Thursday Night ladies were a bit off color, all but Thelma "Speedball" Patterson who topped pins for the following count, 230, 251, 144 for 675.

W. Groves led in the Davis Leather league with 129, 272, 285 for 732. Runner up was A. Culien with 195, 232, 271 for 629, and A. Peppiatt 298, 210, 175 for 623. Last week we left out A. Peppiatt who was high man in Sedore and Walter Fletcher also exchanged living quarters.

In the Mount Albert bowling club, the Bluebells lead with 66

in 42 games. Bluebirds have 66 in 45 games, and also Tigers 66 in 45 games. Excelsiors 57 in 42, Skylarks 57 in 45, Cubs 58 in 39, Wildcats 55 in 39 and Pioneers 51 in 42 games. Here is the scoring situation. High average: ladies, Iola Campbell 146, Dorothy Harper 146, Doreen Oliver 145; men, M. Roberts 203, F. Dampf 194, and S. Scott 183. High three: ladies, D. Harper 602, M. Stokes 602, and V. Oldham 553; men, M. Roberts 786, and E. Davis 771. High single: ladies, D. Harper 275, M. Stokes 271 and D. MacPherson 255; men, H. Longhurst 347, R. F. Dampf 316, and Dr. Carruthers 224. High single with handicap: ladies, M. Stokes 292, Vi Thompson 223, and D. MacPherson 271; men, H. Longhurst 323, F. Dampf 331 and Murray Stokes 316. A reminder: get entries for the mixed doubles tournament. Number of the ones who wish to enter must be known before the alleys are reserved.

Here is Sangama scoring. Ivan Burke 699 (247), Wilf "Fireball" Jarvis 558 (233) and in the ladies' department, Mrs. Greenfield 435 (165), and Helen Burke 425 (152).

Here's news. There will be a bowling tournament at the Bowley Alleys, north end, from April 15 to May 12. All entry fees will be given out in cash prizes. High three games and total scores to count. First prize is really something to bowl for.

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